

# COHEN'S ONE CLEARING SALE A YEAR

## The Least Priced Wash Fabrics in America They Were and Now the Clearing Sale.

The Bourrette Etamines that have been 25c this season are 8 1-2c.  
Finest Imported Scotch Ginghams, nearly yard wide, for 9 1-2c.  
12 1-2c Sea Island Percales, 7 3-4c.  
Mercerized Oxfords, instead of 12 1-2c, are 6 1-2c.  
35c Skirting Poplins, 15c.  
Embroidered Imported Batiste, 25c value, 12 1-2c.  
40-inch wide Black Organdy will be 12 1-2c.  
Silk Warp Batiste Jacquard figured and printed, in creamy designs, made to sell for 50c, price 15c.  
Challies and Batiste-fancy printing—sold all the season for 8 1-4c and

8 1-8c, your pick from the lot for 8 3-4c.  
Etamine Organdies, were 80c, will be 15c.  
Silk Voiles, in fancy embroidered champagne colors, were 60c, for 35c.  
Silk Taffetas, were 25c all the season, are 12 1-2c.  
Bourrette Voiles, were 35c, for 12 1-2c.  
Poplin Shirting Madras, for shirts and shirt waist suits, was 45c, for 10 1-2c.  
Imported Organdies, sold all the season for 25c, are marked 12 1-2c.  
40-inch Batiste, instead of 12 1-2c, for 9 3-4c.  
12 1-2c Cannon Cloth for 9 1-2c and

We find that the enormous business we have done in May and June has led us into extravagant buying. In round numbers we have

## Seventy Thousand Dollars More Goods

than we had a year ago. Our surplus is enough stock for a large store in Richmond. It is absolutely necessary—in fact it is imperative—that this surplus be sold in the next thirty days. In midsummer there is only one way to create a large demand for merchandise: Cut prices so that even shrewd shoppers cannot afford to forego such bargains. Never in the history of this old store has there been such immense price reductions, because there has never been such an urgent necessity for it. All of our best and most seasonable goods are included. But remember that this cut only holds good until a safe limit is reached. We will not sell goods below cost longer than is necessary to accomplish our object.

NOTE.—For obvious reasons during the continuance of this sale our liberal policy in taking back or exchanging goods must be limited to two days after purchase is made.

## Clearance Sale Prices of Notions, Leather Goods, Veilings, Etc.

**Toilets.**  
10 gross Household Ammonia, 3 1-2c. a bottle.  
8c Perfumed Talcum Powder, 1c.  
Turkish Bath Soap, large cakes, 1 1-2c.  
Collins's Crushed Rose Toilet Water, 15c a bottle.  
Rogers and Gallet's Vera Violetto Extract, 48c an ounce.

**Notions.**  
10c Dress Shields, 8c a pair.  
Crowley's Soft Finish Machine Thread, 3 spools for 5c.  
Mercerized Embroidery Cotton, 2 1-2c a spool.  
Mourning Pins, 3 boxes for 5c.  
Hat Pins, 3c a dozen.  
6 pieces White Tape for 5c.  
10c and 12 1-2c Foundation Collars, 4c each.  
10 gross Pearl Buttons sold for 15c, for 5c a dozen.

**Veilings.**  
50 pieces Handsome Chiffon Veilings, made to sell at 35c and 45c, Monday 15c a yard.  
25 Ready Made Veils, sold for 1 1-2c and 1 1-2c, for 75c each.  
**Jewelry.**  
300 pieces of Jewelry, sold for 15c to 25c, for 5c each.  
2 Golf Hat Pins, in caddy, 10c.  
**Fans.**  
50 Bone Stick Fans, worth 1 1-2c to 2 1-2c, choice 88c.  
10 Dress Fans, with chains, 4c each.  
**Leather Goods.**  
250 Crushed Leather Belts, sold for 25c and 45c, all colors, 10c each.  
200 Colored Hand Bags, sold for 10c, 25c and 50c, choice 10c.  
Hand Bags, sold for 1 1-2c, 1 1-2c and 1 1-2c, choice any 50c.  
White Duck Belts for 5c each.

## Clearance Sale Price of Colored Dress Goods.

Silk and Wool Challies, that sold for 25c to 50c, clearance price 15c.  
All Wool Voiles, the 45c kind, for 25c.  
Silk Finished Mohair Sicilians, in blues and browns, 50c kind, for 35c.  
Best 1 1-2c French Voiles, 48 inches wide, for 60c.  
6c All Wool French Batiste, full double width, 25c.

## The Most Beautiful Shirtwaists

They were, but the clearing sale makes them a great loss to us. We can't keep them longer.

## In the Lot at 88c

We place all the White Lawn and India Linen Shirt Waists that have been the prettiest in town up to 25c, choice 88c.  
Waists at 1 1-2c—Imported medallion trimmed, were 2 1-2c.  
Waists at 50c—All the White Lawn and India Linen Waists, that have been 80c to 88c.

## 11 Waists for 50c

Printed etamines, the newest this season's tailor made designs.  
25c China Silk Waists for 15c, black or white, all sizes.  
11 Made India Silk Waists, lace trimmed, that should be 3 1-2c, clearing price 1 1-2c.

## New Curtain Prices

25c pairs 2 Nottingham Lace Curtains, 1 1-2c a pair; assorted designs.  
Muslin Curtains, with laces and ruffles, 60c a pair.  
Silklike, floral patterns, sheer quality, 6c a yard.

## Mosquito Canopies

For full size beds, fixtures complete, \$1.45 each.

## Clearance Sale of White India Linon Suits,

Some 300 of Marquise make at 25c per cent. less than their wholesale cost. The styles are the best of the season—prices were to have been \$5.75 to \$25. Monday the price will begin at \$3.75 to \$12.50.  
New Cotton Bourrette Suits, were \$4.98, will be 82c.  
Silk Suits, in newest designs, were \$12.50 to \$25, the clearance price will be \$7.75 to \$12.50.

## 275 White Skirts, 98c to 81.24.

Were \$1.50 to \$2 values.  
Also on sale Printed Cannon Cloth or Duck Skirts—light or dark colors—prices were 60c to \$1.25, the clearance price will be 38c to \$1.  
This ready made garment store sells hundreds of garments at half price in order to close many small lots.

## Clearance Sale of Bathing Suits

Were \$2.48 to \$12.50, are \$1.50 to \$8.50.  
Closing of Children's Dresses at half their cost—40c to \$1.

## Supply Your Infants' Now.

All the most beautiful White Caps, that were sold for 80c, are on a counter choice 25c; many hundreds to choose from.  
Handsome and Newest Embroidery Wash Hats, were sold to \$3.50, prices \$1.25 to \$2.

## Infants' Dresses

To five years of age, nearly twelve hundred to be sold, almost every style; prices will be 10c to \$2.50.  
Reduction of a full half.  
Lot of Infants' Bibs will be sold for 2c each, lace edge.

## Throwing Away Laces.

Hundreds of pieces bought to sell double the clearing price sale figures.

Heavy German Torron Laces, Edgings and Insertings, sold for 12 1-2c, for 6c a yard.  
Teneriffe and other Trimming Laces, the latest importation, 25c value, for 8c and 10c.

Dress Trimmings and Wash Laces, the entire lot—several counters full—will be 3c and 6c a yard.  
Applique Laces that were 50c will be 15c a yard.

Hand Embroidered Laces that sold to \$1 will be 50c a yard.  
Allover Laces will be 10c, 25c and 30c a yard; some of them were \$1.

Several Hundred dozen Val. Laces, priced up to 48c, clearing sale price 25c a dozen.

## The Stock of Muslin Underwear

takes up an aisle; also half a warehouse. The sale is on second floor. The same fine garments that we have offered the past two weeks.

Gowns that cost to \$1.50, hundreds to choose from, of the light, dainty summer kinds, placed in one lot, at 80c each.  
20 dozen plain, well made Gowns, with tucked yokes, instead of 45c, are 25c each.

Gowns that cost to 75c are in a choice for 44c.  
All Gowns up to \$1 are 68c each.  
Corset Covers, 25c.  
All the Gowns that sold to \$2.10, choice 95c.

All the Corset Covers that sold at 80c, choice 60c.  
Choice of 35 Handsome Lace Trimmed Corset Covers, 25c.  
All the Lace Trimmed Umbrella Ruffs 75c Skirts, clearing price 60c.

Some of the handsomest Skirts ever shown in the city for \$2.10, every variety of trimming, choice 98c.

Lot of 65 dozen Very Fine White Skirts, bought recently, that cost to \$1.10, sales price will be \$1.25 to \$1.75.

The Best Home Made Drawers, with tucks, that usually cost 25c, are 15c, 44c and 48c Drawers, in a variety of the newest styles, choice 29c.

50c Blouse Corset Covers, 29c.

**Children's Garments.**  
Lot of Children's Drawers, well made and good materials, 6c a pair.  
Minks and Children's Gowns, all sizes, 20c.

## Thousands of Dollars' Worth of Silks Will Be Turned Over.

The accumulation is beyond all reason. To make the adjustment as ordered will cause an enormous loss.

Fancy Silks, were 60c to 75c, including Crapes de Chine, plain Taffetas and a number of other fine silk fabrics, price 35c a yard.  
Some Silks that have been up to 60c will be 25c.  
Silks that were \$1.10 and \$1.25 will be 60c to 65c.

All the Silks—no matter what the quality—almost half a gift, in order to reduce

the stock ten thousand dollars' worth in a few days.

White Habutai, that sold from 20c to \$1.25, will be 18c to 85c.

Black China Silks, were 20c to \$1.10, will be sold for 20c to \$1.  
Double Width Silk Chiffons that were priced 15c to 35c will be sold from 9c to 45c.

This sale applies to Black Silks, as well as colors.

## These Hundreds of Rain-Proof Umbrellas

have been the wonder of the city because they are guaranteed rain-proof. A great variety of handles and values are to \$1.75. Sales price, 95c.

## The Chance to Buy Your Handkerchiefs.

Sheer All Linen Handkerchiefs, that were 10c, are 5c.

Men's Cambric Handkerchiefs, 8c.

Women's Embroidered Handkerchiefs, among them goods that cost 25c, choice 9c.

Men's 12 1-2c All Linen Handkerchiefs, 8c.

## Cohen's Wonderful Bargain Basement Is Affected by the Clearance Sale.

Cohen's Basement Has No Price Limit. We Are Forced to Unload a Big Lot of Cottons.

Dress Ginghams, that should be 10c, in every color and style, for 4 1-2c.  
New Embroidered Swiss, beautiful colorings, will be 9c.  
French Percales, all the 15c and 16 1-2c grades, for 9 3-4c.

5300 yards 40-inch Printed Batiste, 12 1-2c quality, for 6 3-4c a yard.  
230 yards of Colored Challies, in pretty designs, for 3 3-4c a yard.  
14c Apron Ginghams, all checks, for 8 3-4c.

Yard Wide Soft Finished English Long Cloth, the quality you would pay \$1.50 a piece for, price 7 1-2c a yard.  
Genuine Sea Island Percales, in new styles, that sell for 12 1-2c, price 6c a yard, full yard wide.

Best 10c Bleached Cambric, yard wide, 6 1-4c.  
Bates' 10c Seersuckers, 5 13-4c.  
Black, White and Gray Prints for 3c a yard.  
Brown Cottons for 3 1-2c.

Light Shirting Prints, 4 1-2c.  
2000 yards of Full Bleached Cannon Cloth, 9c a yard.  
**38c Muslin Gowns, 25c.**

25c each—87 dozen Muslin Night Gowns, instead of 38c.  
60c each—Lot of Gowns and Skirts, cambric and muslin, that sold regularly for 75c.

12 1-2c each—15c Corset Covers.  
25c each—Lot of Corset Covers, were 38c to 50c.  
25c a pair—35c and 38c Drawers.

## Basement Sale of Umbrellas

Lot of Silk Gloria and Taffeta Umbrellas, that were full \$1 to \$1.50 values, clearing sale price 50c each.

## Knit Underwear.

5c for Children's 10c and 12 1-2c Vests.  
61-4c each—Women's 10c Bleached Vests, taped neck and arms.  
12 1-2c each—Women's Extra Size Vests.

10c each—Women's 37c Silk Mercerized Vests, silk trimmed.  
12 1-2c each—Women's 25c Lace Lisle Vests.

## Housekeeping Needs.

\$2.25 for \$3.50 Nursery Refrigerators and Water Coolers combined, in heavy, japanned oak, with nickel spring faucets; they are galvanized lined and closely packed with mineral wool.

\$3.25—8 quart Blizzard Ice Cream Freezers.  
54c a dozen—Mason's Quart Fruit Jars.  
59c—Fast Color Cotton Yarn Ham-mocks, with stretcher.

60c a dozen—Hotel Goblets.  
5c each—Large White Ovide Cups and Saucers.  
8c each—Decorated Gold Traced Dinner Plates.

15c each—Thin Decorated Japanese Cups and Saucers.  
50c each—Plain White Uncovered Slop Jars.  
1c each—Brass Trimmed Hall Lamps, complete.

14c each—25c Engraved Glass Globes.  
9c a box—Peterman's Roach Food.  
5c each—Willow Picnic Baskets.  
4c a package—Daisy Toilet Paper.  
4c—Silex Scouring Soap.

## Clearing Sale Prices of White Goods.

10c a yard—Lot of 2 yards wide French Organdy.  
10c a yard—36c to 50c Persian Lawns and Paris Mouselines, 1 1-4 yards wide.

7 1-4c a yard—Real English Long Cloth, yard wide, soft finish, the grade that sells at \$1.50 a piece.  
4 3-4c a yard—40-inch India Linens, 8c grade.

9c a yard—Lot of 16c Sheer India Linens, 40 inches wide.  
4 1-2c a yard—6 1-2c Checked Nainsooks.

## Bidding Clearance Sale.

includes all our immense stock; nothing reserved.  
Summer Weight Crochet Quilts, the usual 25c ones, 35c.

Some Mill Stained 61 Extra Large Quilts are \$1.10.  
\$2.25—Marseilles Cotton Crochet Quilts, \$1.15.

\$4 Heavy Embossed Imported Sat-in Marseilles, sale price \$2.50.  
\$6 Heavy Embossed Marseilles Quilts, \$3.75.

Same with hand tied fringe, for metal and brass beds, instead of \$6.50, are \$4.25.  
2 1-2 by 2 1-2 yards Bleached Sheets, 40c.

2 by 2 1-2 by 2 1-2 yards Bleached Sheets, 50c.  
Extra Heavy Linen Finished Sheets, 45c.

Brown Sheets are 39c.  
37 dozen Pillow Cases, hem-stitched, handkerchief border, plain hemmed and linen finished; never sold for less than 15c to 20c; your pick from the lot for 12 1-2c.

## BLUE RIDGE PUTS ON LIFE

Time-Honored Old Virginia Resort More Popular Than Ever.

## GAIETY GAINS MOMENTUM

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) BLUE RIDGE SPRINGS, July 9.—This time honored old Virginia mountain resort is again in the summer resort supremacy, and being first at the drop of the seashore's rope, is leading by more than a neck in the number and quality of her guests.

The bookings are large, and many are the daily entries being made by those who come early to secure the pick of the rooms, or very often more favored rooms, that is like home, having been occupied after season.

The hall of summer gaities is already rolling, and each day finds it moving faster. From the bowling alleys, the billiard and pin have marked the voices of the

mountains, and sent the children of the wild into safe retreat.

## MUSIC IN THE AIR.

Music has filled the air by night, and the ball-room again wears its gala dress. Tennis and "love" are again consorting on the green sloping lawn, while croquet, whist and euchre are settling the pace. The devil is here! Our thoughtful host, Mr. Phil F. Brown, has bought him for the entertainment of his guests, and the old gentleman in the guise of a boy's top, makes merry among them, and knocks them out just as he does in real life. The game is novel and exciting, and the popularity of "the devil among the tailors" is secured.

The Blue Ridge Spring, clear, cold and curative, is a mecca to the guests, who are in search of either health or appetite. Blue Ridge's long sustained reputation for daintiness and comfort is being lived up to in a royal way, and the "comforts of home are delightful realities."

## THE FIRST GERMAN.

Blue Ridge as usual leads in the first German of the season, with the Roanoke German Club, to grace the occasion with twenty-three couples, and a generous supply of stage.

The daily special train arrived at nine, and at nine-thirty the ball was on, with Mr. S. P. Pigott, the president of the club, doing the honors in his usual masterly way. No need to call it a success, for every one knows that when youth and beauty meet, the hours fly with fairy feet.

Arrivals are the topic of the day, and some of the late comers are: Mrs. Jno. Currie and Miss Fannie Lewis, of Richmond; who are always sure of a warm welcome; Dr. and Mrs. Randolph Barker-

dale, of Petersburg; Col. A. W. Spaight, Mrs. Cornelia Branch Stone, Miss Rosa Moss and Miss Lucy Lowe, of Galveston, Texas.

## A NEW RECRUIT.

Miss Lowe is a new and charming recruit to the Texas colony, and by her beauty and brain, is already a belle. She is a daughter of old Virginia on her mother's side, and through her distinguished father, Mr. R. C. Lowe, of the Roanoke and Dallas News, is of Scotch descent, a happy combination.

One of Virginia's distinguished gentlemen, Judge William Gordon Robertson, so well and favorably known by his good work in the "Constitutional Convention," and other capacities, has been a guest at Blue Ridge. His wit and charm of manner made the "Judge" universally popular, being always surrounded by a bevy of ladies.

The "Laden city" Roanoke, is again charmingly represented by Mrs. Walter E. Addison and his gallant son, Master Julian. Mr. Addison still retains all the charm, that made her such a belle when she flirted with the beaux, as Miss Virginia Harrison.

## NEW ARRIVALS.

Arrivals of note are: Mrs. H. S. Seward and children, Petersburg, Va.; Mrs. W. E. Dillon, Mrs. E. Brimmer, Norfolk, Va.; Mrs. Chas. Baldwin, Savannah, Ga.; Dr. and Mrs. Barksdale, Petersburg, Va.; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Jeffries and Miss Nanette Jeffries, Washington, D. C.; Maurice E. Gessner, Annapolis, Md.; Judge Wm. Gordon Robertson, Roanoke, Va.; Mr. L. Page Taylor, Norfolk, Va.; Col. A. W. Spaight, Galveston, Texas; Miss Lucy Lowe, Galveston, Texas; Miss Rosa Moss, Galveston, Texas; Mrs. Cornelia Branch Stone, Galveston, Texas; Mrs. Jno. Currie,

Richmond, Va.; Miss Fannie M. Lewis, Richmond, Va.; Mrs. Cora Billups and son, Norfolk, Va.; Mr. W. M. Patton, Virginia; Mr. C. M. Whiteside, Ocala, Fla.; Mr. W. P. Gaskill, Ocala, Fla.; Jno. A. Patterson, Pulaski, Va.

## Dance at the Brunswick.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) WAYNESBORO, VA., July 9.—One of the most delightful dances of the season was that held at the Brunswick Inn Pavilion last night. The fresh river breeze, the excellent floor, the fine music of Clarke's orchestra, together with the genuine holiday spirit of the dancers, all combined to give charm to the occasion. Noticeable was the unusually large number of strangers, guests of the Inn, and visitors to the shooting tournament.

Among those who participated were Misses Grace Vest, of Ashland, Va.; May Selpe, Janie Ferguson, of South Carolina; Annie Coyner, Little Fox, Mary Haines, Sue Wright, Cornelia Bierrett, Willie Hill, Sue Purvis, and Mr. Andrews, of Waynesboro; Messrs. C. Lambert, H. D. Coyner, Jr., Ashwith, E. O. Craig, Baskerville, Grady, Drake, Fox, Glover, J. J. son, A. Coyner, Peale, Chase, Boyler, J. Coyner, Smith, Rogers, and Boyd, Chaparrone, Mr. and Mrs. J. Frank Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Craig, Mr. and Mrs. Kemp Lambert, Mrs. Emmet Lambert.

## Uncle Remus Candy Pulling.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) CHATHAM, VA., July 9.—Mrs. J. T. Whitehead entertained on Monday night with an Uncle Remus candy pulling, in honor of her guests, Miss Sara B. Jones, a sister of Lynchburg, and Miss Elouise Love, of New Orleans. The occasion was

one of the most delightful of the season, and carried out in the old time style.

A large pot suspended in the yard was used in preparing the candy for pulling, during which time the guests passed several hours quickly by at various games.

Those performing a teta-tole to games found very comfortable seats on the beautiful lawn, which was dotted with couples enjoying themselves hugely.

Delicious refreshments were served, and many were the expressions of a most delightful time when home going came.

## ST. JOHN'S LODGE.

Delightful Outing at Ocean View July 14th.

The members and friends of St. John's Lodge of Masons are anticipating a pleasant time on the outing at Ocean View Thursday, July 14th. The orphans from the Masonic Home and all dependent widows of members of St. John's Lodge have been invited to go as guests of the lodge. All persons of good character can go on this outing at a small expense.

## The Railroad Y. M. C. A.

Mr. E. M. Goodwin, assistant secretary, will lead the meeting at the Main Street Station this afternoon at 3:30. The subject being "More Brotherhood" or "How Can We Be More Helpful to Each Other?"

Can Ye Be More Helpful to Each Other? Men and their families are cordially invited to attend. Great preparations are being made by the committee of management to celebrate the securing of eight new members.

They will run an excursion to Buckhorn Beach and have a great basket picnic. It is to be a great gala day for railroad

employees, their families and friends.

It may be interesting to know that of the present membership of 804 there are sixty different avocations represented.

## Ice Mission.

Many thanks for great help in time of need as follows: In memory of Lewis Ginter, 45c; check "111", 50c; boxes collected July 3d, \$14.41; also proceeds of entertainment given by the following little West End girls: Margaret Gilbert, Maud Gilbert, Evelyn Thaw, Margaret Thaw and Gladys Thaw, \$43.21; total, \$57.72.

## Successor to Dr. Bruner.

Rev. Walter P. Hines, of Portsmouth, is prominently spoken of as a probable successor to Rev. Dr. Weston Bruner, who has accepted the pastorate of Fifth Baptist Church, Washington, D. C.

## A Pitiful Case.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) WARM SPRINGS, VA., July 9.—A sad and pitiful case of typhoid fever is reported from over in the eastern part of the county. A worthy young colored man lies at the point of death in his home at Millboro Springs.

Some time ago his mother died, then his wife and baby, and now the poor man lies there alone, with only his four small children, the eldest not ten years of age, daily waiting to pass into eternity. The attending physician says he is unable to hire a white black man or white to nurse him.

## Danville Tobacco Market.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) DANVILLE, VA., July 9.—Messrs. Dabell Brothers in their weekly review of the Danville tobacco market say: Sales this week have been so small that we have little to report.

The stock offered was mostly of an inferior and undesirable type, and much of it damaged and in bad condition. Practically no good wrappers are now showing up on the break. Prices are without change for several

weeks past, and are quite firm on good desirable lots.

A reception was given at Ebenhaech's Hall Tuesday night by the riveters, caulkers and drillers, in honor of their beloved foreman, Mr. H. W. Mannel. He was presented with a gold watch by his fellow workmen. The presentation address was made by Mr. A. Williams. The reception was closed by a solo by Mr. Frank Williams and a speech by Mr. Mannel.

Mr. J. B. Wilson, business manager for his brother, Mr. John T. Wilson, general contractor and builder of this city, left yesterday for Saratoga Lake, Adirondack Mountains, for his health. Mr. Wilson will be gone some time.

## Gold Watch Presented.

A reception was given at Eben